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The Honorable Kay Granger
Chairwoman
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The Honorable Rosa L. DeLauro
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
1036 Longworth House Office Building
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Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the New York Avenue Rehabilitation project in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Bedford Stuyvesant Restoration Corporation, located at 1368 Fulton Street, Brooklyn, NY 11216. The funding would be used for the Bedford Stuyvesant Restoration Corporation to conduct its services and programs for 60,000 clients in Bedford Stuyvesant while the Innovation Campus redevelopment initiative is underway. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it is consistent with the primary objective of the community development program, which is to ensure there are adequate, functioning services available to the community that benefit thousands of residents in Central Brooklyn, especially the Bedford-Stuyvesant, Clinton Hill, Fort Greene, Bushwick and Ocean Hill neighborhoods.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 42 U.S.C. 5305(a)(1).

I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely,


HAKEEM JEFFRIES
Member of Congress